

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to insert a cross reference to the PCT application and the Japanese priority application.

In addition, a substitute and marked-up copy thereof are being submitted including all amendments made in an Article 34 Amendment during the International phase.

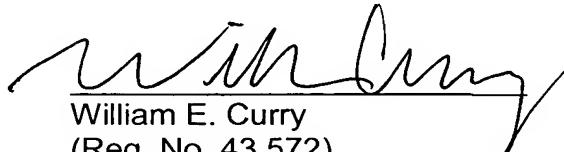
All claims have been deleted and new claims 14-21 have been added. These new claims represent claims 1-8 of the Article 34 Amendment filed during the International phase.

Examination in light of these amendments is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at 202-220-4200 to discuss any matter in connection with this application.

The Office is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 to the Kenyon & Kenyon Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

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